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February 24, 1987

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Refinery Products.
Superfund/Lead

Mr. Steve Colantino
Project Manager - No. 24
Illinois Environmental Protection
Agency
2200 Churchill Road
Springfield, Illinois 62706

Dear Mr. Colantino:

Subject: Refinery Products Company--Cleanup Site
4300 Wesley Terrace
Schiller Park, Illinois

This letter is to inform you of recent activity at the subject site on the part of the Metropolitan Sanitary District of Greater Chicago (District).

On December 19, 1986, personnel of the District's Industrial Waste Division conducted an inspection and found that the entire site had been razed and all tanks and storage containers had been removed.

In addition, a wastewater sample was obtained from the sanitary sewer inspection manhole. Laboratory analysis of the sample revealed fats, oils and greases concentrations of 198 mg/L and polychlorinated biphenyls concentrations of 16.0 µg/L. It should be noted that the inlet pipe to the manhole had been previously sealed with concrete and that the sample was obtained from a stagnant pool of water contained within the manhole. It is possible that this water originated from either groundwater seepage or from surcharging of the local combined sewer line along Wesley Terrace.

Please advise this office what further cleanup activity, if any, is planned for this site, such as the installation of monitoring wells to assess extent of groundwater contamination.

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If you have any questions with regard to this matter,
please contact Catherine Edelman, Pollution Control Officer,
at (312) 751-3048.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Cecil Lue-Hing", written over a horizontal line.

Cecil Lue-Hing, D.Sc., P.E.
Director
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